

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

11-0020R

AS AMENDED

RESOLUTION SETTING LEGISLATIVE INITIATIVES FOR THE 2011  
LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

CITY PROPOSAL:

The city council finds as follows:

(a) The city administration and council wish to establish a clear set of legislative initiatives which the city supports in the 2011 legislative session;

(b) The city administration and council have devoted meeting time and discussion to the city legislative initiatives;

(c) The city administration and council choose to express support for legislative initiatives that are of vital interest to the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the city staff and elected officials express city support for the following projects of regional significance:

(a) If there is a Viking's stadium bill, support for up to \$3 million in state bond proceeds for the renovation of Wade Stadium;

(b) Other council priorities:

(1) Support legislation to grant cities the ability to offer benefits to the domestic partners of employees;

(2) Support the Safe Schools for All Act;

(3) Support off sale of micro-brew beer and growlers on Sundays;

(4) Support comprehensive indoor air quality standards for commercial buildings;

(5) Support more comprehensive regulation of assisted living facilities;

(6) Support tougher penalties and enforcement of sexual trafficking and related crimes.

ATTY GBJ:blj 1/3/2011

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution expresses support for legislative initiatives for the year 2011.